GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1015
ANSWERED ON:07.12.2004
BORDER DISPUTE BETWEEN KARNATAKA AND MAHARASHTRA
Saradgi Shri Iqbal Ahmed

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Chief Minister of Karnataka along with delegation met the Prime Minister to resolve the border dispute between Karnataka and Maharashtra;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to defuse tension in the border areas of these two States?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): The Government of India is of the view that the dispute is to be resolved primarily by the State Governments concerned through discussions and mutual accommodation.